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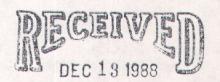
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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Ken A. Kluksdahl Tenneco Minerals P.O. Box 2650 955 North 1300 West #4 St. George, Utah 84770

> Gold Strike Mine, Phase I RE: Construction Permit Conditions

Dear Mr. Kluksdahl:

We have reviewed the submittal from JBR Consultants received 30 November 1988 which provides information concerning special conditions "r" and "w" of our 3 November 1988 construction permit.

Special condition "r", the detail for sealing around leak detection pipes which penetrate the flexible membrane, is approved.

Special condition "w", the detail for the diatomaceous earth pond which applies to the ramp slab and wall as well as the pond floor and wall, is approved.

An approved copy of both of these approved documents are transmitted herewith for your project file.

Please call Charlie Dietz of my staff if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

Utah Water Pollution Control Committee

Don A. Ostler, P.E. **Executive Secretary** 

w/enclosure

Mr. Brian Buck, JBR Consultants

Mr. Wayne Thomas, Southwest District Health Department w/encl

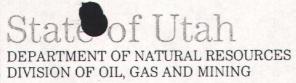
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December 8, 1988

Mr. Ken Kluksdahl Mine Manager Tenneco Minerals P.O. Box 2650 St. George, Utah 84770

Dear Mr. Kluskdahl:

Re: Receipt of Facilities Design Plans, Goldstrike Mine, M/053/005, Washington County, Utah

Thank you for sending us the approved plans for your pond and heap leach facilities. These plans (maps and diagrams) will be added to the Mining and Reclamation Plan you have filed with us. The narrative section of the design plan was omitted from what you sent us, however we are getting copies from JBR. Submittal of these plans fulfills the requirements of stipulation number 3 of our August 29, 1988 final approval letter to Tenneco.

Sorry to have missed visiting your site last week; unfortunately, our time was limited. We will call if we get another chance to visit Goldstrike during the construction of the heap leach facilities; this is something we are interested in seeing.

Best of luck in completing the construction.

Sincerely,

Holland Shepherd

Reclamation Soils Specialist

cc: Lowell Braxton Wayne Hedberg

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